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SUBJECT: SENEGAL REQUESTS US SUPPORT FOR RENEWING POSITION

ON UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION FOR SENEGALESE

SUPREME COURT PRESIDENT

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED SENEGALESE GOVERNMENT NOTE DATED APRIL 9 REQUESTING AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR CANDIDATURE FOR NEW TERM BY SENEGAL'S SUPREME COURT PRESIDENT KEBE MBAYE ON UN COMMISSION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION AT NEXT MEETING OF UN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL IN APRIL-MAY 1977. (NOTE WAS APPARENTLY SENT TO A NUMBER OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN DAKAR.) DEMARCHE STATES THAT "ATTACHMENT OF SENEGAL TO THE PRINCIPLE OF LEGALITY (AND) THE WILL OF ITS LEADERS TO RESPECT SCRUPULOUSLY HUMAN RIGHTS HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO ESTABLISHING SENEGAL'S PRESTIGE WITHIN THAT COMMISSION." NOTE STATES THAT SENEGAL ATTACHES VERY HIGH IMPORTANCE TO MBAYE'S CANDIDACY, NOTING THAT, IN VIEW OF GOVERNMENT OF SENEGAL, MBAYE'S DISTINGUISHED QUALITIES AS JURIST GUARANTEE HIGHLY POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION WHICH HE WILL BRING TO HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION. (MBAYE IS CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION'S WORKING GROUP ON SOUTHERN AFRICA.)

2. EMBASSY POUCHING NOTE TO AF/W WITH MBAYE'S

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CURRICULUM VITAE. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING US ASSESSMENT OF MBAYE'S PAST PERFORMANCE IN THIS POSITION AND RECEIVING GUIDANCE FOR REPLY TO SENEGALESE DEMARCHE. EMBASSY'S FAVORABLE ASSESSMENT OF MBAYE WAS CONTAINED IN 76 DAKAR 4178.
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